



UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI

EXTERNAL JOB VACANCIES (PROJECT POSITIONS)

Applications are invited for the following position:

RESEARCH ASSOCIATE; CENTRE FOR HEALTHCARE QUALITY AND INNOVATION (CHQI) STUDIES ADVERT, REF: AD/3/216/26, 5 POSTS

The Project:

The Centre for Healthcare Quality and (CHQI) based at the Faculty of Health Sciences is seeking to hire temporary Research Associates for a three-month period for various studies based in Nairobi, Central and Eastern Kenya.

Job Purpose:

To recruit study participants and collect qualitative and quantitative data.

Duties and Responsibilities:

1. **Data Collection:** Conducting Key Informant Interviews (KIIs), In-Depth Interviews (IDIs), and Focus Group Discussions (FGDs).
2. **Data Management:** Labelling and storage of data, quality note-taking, and preparation of transcripts and translations.
3. **Data Analysis:** First-level coding and thematic analysis using NVivo, preparation of analysis memos, summaries and thematic matrices, and participation in analysis reviews and interpretation.

Job Specification:

Bachelor's degree in any of the following fields; Social Sciences, Public Health, Nursing, Health systems Management or an equivalent qualification with at least 5 years' experience in qualitative research work.

Terms of Employment:

These are temporary, full time positions for an initial period of three (3) months with possibility of extension subject to IMMEDIATE availability & satisfactory performance.

Notes:

1. Applicants should email their application letters, certified copies of certificates and curriculum vitae (CV max 4 pages) giving details of their qualifications, experience and three (3) referees indicating their telephone contacts and e-mail contacts;
2. Applications and related documents should be forwarded addressed to the Director, Human Resource, University of Nairobi;
3. Applicants should state their current designations, salaries and other benefits attached to those designations;
4. The application letter must bear the reference code indicated in the advertisement and CHQI Studies in the Subject Head of your email;
5. Late applications will not be considered;
6. Applications should be emailed as one file in PDF to: recruit-raqrchqi@uonbi.ac.ke

CLOSING DATE: THURSDAY, MARCH 26, 2026

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ONLY SHORTLISTED APPLICANTS WILL BE CONTACTED**